

# Weekly Coal Production

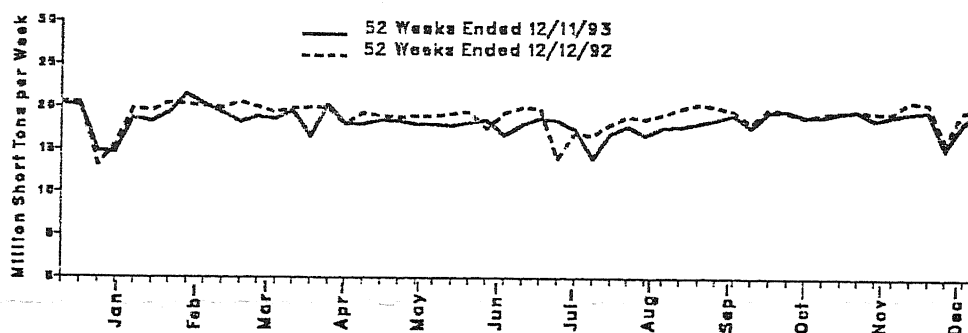
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Production for Week Ended:  
December 11, 1993

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SUMMARY—As estimated by the Energy Information Administration (EIA) from data on railroad car loadings, U.S. coal production totaled 20 million short tons during the week ended December 11, 1993. This was 7 percent higher than in the previous week, and 4 percent lower than in the comparable week in 1992. Production east of the Mississippi River totaled 11 million short tons, and production west of the Mississippi River totaled 9 million short tons. On December 14, 1993, 65 percent of the eligible members of the United Mine Workers of America voted to approve a new five-year contract, ending a seven-month strike against selective members of the Bituminous Coal Operators' Association.

Figure 1. Coal Production



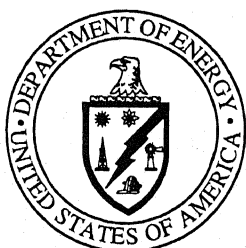
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**Table 1. Weekly and Monthly U.S. Coal Production Overview**

Coal-Producing Region and State	Week Ended		52 Weeks Ended		Month Ended		January-November		
	12/11/93	12/12/92	12/11/93	12/12/92	November 1993	November 1992	1993	1992	Percent Change
<b>Production (Thousand Short Tons)</b>									
Alabama .....	453	547	24,031	25,610	1,821	2,190	22,096	23,598	-6.4
Alaska .....	32	38	1,586	1,519	132	150	1,446	1,379	4.9
Arizona .....	230	244	11,047	12,498	937	961	10,120	11,516	-12.1
Arkansas .....	*	1	18	58	1	4	15	54	-71.4
California .....	-	4	8	96	-	15	-	89	-
Colorado .....	525	372	21,608	18,921	2,184	1,453	19,809	17,609	12.5
Illinois .....	822	1,262	45,241	59,792	3,321	4,555	41,247	54,969	-25.0
Indiana .....	746	614	31,945	30,414	2,708	2,340	29,569	28,249	4.7
Iowa .....	5	5	200	291	19	20	182	269	-32.4
Kansas .....	6	9	335	356	26	32	306	327	-6.5
Kentucky Total .....	3,066	3,306	153,560	159,712	12,165	12,964	141,394	147,749	-4.3
Eastern .....	2,103	2,455	113,471	118,583	8,756	9,673	104,816	109,658	-4.4
Western .....	963	852	40,089	41,129	3,409	3,291	36,578	38,090	-4.0
Louisiana .....	78	75	3,140	3,265	254	282	2,933	3,025	-3.1
Maryland .....	61	72	3,333	3,340	257	283	3,082	3,057	.8
Missouri .....	25	51	978	2,863	102	200	821	2,678	-69.3
Montana .....	820	837	35,882	38,561	3,389	3,306	32,375	35,228	-8.1
New Mexico .....	668	461	28,131	24,289	2,396	2,309	26,049	22,558	15.5
North Dakota .....	730	695	32,605	31,343	3,018	2,745	29,613	28,704	3.2
Ohio .....	587	679	33,263	30,054	2,409	2,455	31,052	28,006	10.9
Oklahoma .....	14	37	1,810	1,742	52	166	1,687	1,572	7.3
Pennsylvania Total .....	1,559	1,397	66,536	68,274	6,582	5,519	61,645	64,168	-3.9
Anthracite .....	76	92	4,520	3,441	314	316	4,243	3,182	33.3
Bituminous .....	1,483	1,305	62,016	64,834	6,269	5,203	57,401	60,985	-5.9
Tennessee .....	35	69	2,219	3,449	142	272	2,011	3,201	-37.2
Texas .....	1,003	1,098	51,046	54,571	4,094	4,331	46,920	50,579	-7.2
Utah .....	470	470	21,440	21,082	2,007	1,756	19,537	19,353	.9
Virginia .....	860	881	42,853	42,619	3,503	3,474	39,548	39,508	.1
Washington .....	94	101	4,531	5,243	384	398	4,149	4,839	-14.3
West Virginia Total .....	2,656	3,310	140,504	161,473	11,022	13,075	129,258	149,188	-13.4
Northern .....	850	1,019	42,035	49,815	3,527	4,024	38,522	46,028	-16.3
Southern .....	1,806	2,291	98,469	111,657	7,495	9,051	90,736	103,160	-12.0
Wyoming .....	4,054	3,746	193,988	189,124	16,989	15,080	177,075	172,974	2.4
Appalachian Total .....	8,313	9,409	426,210	453,403	34,492	36,942	393,508	420,384	-6.4
Interior Total .....	3,662	4,002	174,803	194,480	13,986	15,221	160,256	179,813	-10.9
Western Total .....	7,625	6,967	350,826	342,677	31,435	28,173	320,173	314,249	1.9
East of the Miss. River Total .....	10,844	12,137	543,485	584,737	43,931	47,128	500,901	541,693	-7.5
West of the Miss. River Total .....	8,756	8,242	408,353	405,822	35,982	33,207	373,036	372,753	.1
Bituminous and Lignite Total .....	19,524	20,287	947,318	987,119	79,599	80,020	869,694	911,263	-4.6
U.S. Total .....	19,600	20,379	951,839	990,560	79,912	80,335	873,937	914,445	-4.4

\* For quantity data, the value of the number is less than 0.5 thousand short tons. For percentage calculations, the absolute value of the number is less than 0.05 percent.

Notes: 1993 data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding. Bituminous and Lignite Total includes bituminous coal, subbituminous coal, and lignite. The States in the Appalachian Region are Alabama, Eastern Kentucky, Maryland, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Virginia, and West Virginia. The Interior Region States are Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Western Kentucky, Louisiana, Missouri, Oklahoma, and Texas. The Western Region States are Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Montana, New Mexico, North Dakota, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; Form EIA-7A, "Coal Production Report"; Mine Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Form 7000-2, "Quarterly Mine Employment and Coal Production Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

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